

A MESSAGE FROM BCU COMMANDER, CHIEF SUPERINTENDENT HELEN HARPER



Dear all,

I hope you are well.

As we move towards the weekend, the weather forecast predicts plenty of sunshine and highs of over 20 degrees. With the anticipated hot weather, our policing approach will remain the same as before. You will see officers engaging with our communities and explaining the regulations and we will only enforce as a last resort. The current policing role is focused on any larger gathering/groups or persistent breaches where the risk to health would be at its greatest.

The Prime Minister has announced further changes that will take effect from Monday 1st June. This includes allowing up to six people to meet outside - provided those from different households continue to strictly observe social distancing. People will now also be able to meet in gardens and other private outdoor spaces. These changes will mean friends and family can start to meet their loved ones again. Everyone has a responsibility to continue to follow the guidelines.

As things slowly return back to normal we expect to see a return of things we have come to experience in the past. We are ready to meet any increase in demand, at whatever pace it comes. As ever, we ask the public to stay vigilant, and to report any emergencies through 999.

I would like to thank you for your continued support.

Kindest Regards

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Helen Harper".

Helen

BCU Commander Central West BCU and Royal Parks

